
DIGEST

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HB 95 Engrossed

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Abstract: Authorizes certain law enforcement officers employed by certain public postsecondary education institutions to receive state supplemental pay at the rate of \$500 per month.

Present law (R.S. 40:1667.1(A)) provides for state supplemental pay of \$500 per month for any full-time police officer employed by any municipality or by the Chitimacha Tribe of La., Coushatta Tribe of La., or the Tunica-Biloxi Tribe of La., who has passed a council-certified training program and who has completed one year of service.

Present law further provides for state supplemental pay of \$500 per month for certain police officers who provide services while patrolling levees, waterways, riverfront areas, and bridges within the city of New Orleans, who have passed a council-certified training program, and who have completed one year of service.

Proposed law authorizes state supplemental pay of \$500 per month for certain commissioned law enforcement officers employed on a full-time basis by the following postsecondary education institutions who have passed a council-certified training program, and who have completed one year of service:

- (1) Nicholls State University at Thibodaux.
- (2) Southern University and Agricultural and Mechanical College at Baton Rouge.
- (3) University of La. at Lafayette.
- (4) Southeastern La. University.

Proposed law further provides that if state supplemental pay is increased for other law enforcement officers eligible pursuant to present law, then the supplemental pay pursuant to proposed law shall be increased by the same amount.

Effective when an act of the La. legislature containing a specific appropriation of monies for the implementation of the provisions of proposed law becomes effective.

(Adds R.S. 40:1667.1(A)(4))

Summary of Amendments Adopted by House

The Committee Amendments Proposed by House Committee on Appropriations to the original bill:

1. Add commissioned law enforcement officers employed by Southeastern La. University, University of La. at Lafayette, and Southern University and Agricultural and Mechanical College at Baton Rouge.
2. Make proposed law effective when an Act of the legislature containing a specific appropriation of monies for the implementation of proposed law becomes effective.
3. Make technical changes.